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ISOLATED AND PURIFIED DNA MOLECULE AND PROTEIN FOR THE

DEGRADATION OF TRIAZENE COMPOUNDS

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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Dear Sir:

Please consider the following comments in response to the Office Action mailed August 1, 2003.

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